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# Linear Topologies on Semi-ordered Linear Spaces and their Regularity

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## Abstract

It is desirable that linear topologies on semi-ordered linear spaces have continuity-properties of join and meet.

In this paper, we have introduced a linear topology on semi-ordered linear spaces, so that we have investigated some properties, especially those of regularity of the space.

### 1. Introduction.

By a *semi-ordered linear space* we mean a vector lattice in the sense of Birkhoff<sup>1</sup>.

Let  $\mathbf{R}$  be a linear space.

A topology on  $\mathbf{R}$  for which the additive operation + and the scalar multiplication (i. e.  $\xi x$  for  $x \in \mathbf{R}$ ,  $\xi$  is real number) are continuous is called a *linear topology*.

Prof. H. Nakano has introduced a linear topology on universally semi-ordered linear space<sup>2</sup> as follows.

A set of positive elements  $V$  is said to be a *positive vicinity*, if

- 1) for any  $a \geq 0$  we can find  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that  $\varepsilon a \in V$ .
- 2)  $0 \leq b \leq a \in V$  implies  $b \in V$ .
- 3)  $V \varepsilon a_\lambda \uparrow_\lambda a$  implies  $a \in V$ .

Above linear topology was defined by a collection  $\mathfrak{B}$  of positive vicinities satisfying the following conditions :

1.  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ ,  $V \subset U$  implies  $U \in \mathfrak{B}$
2.  $U, V$  implies  $UV \in \mathfrak{B}$ .
3.  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$  implies  $\xi V \in \mathfrak{B}$  for every  $\xi > 0$ .
4. for any  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$  we can find  $U \in \mathfrak{B}$  such that  $U \times U \subset V$ .

Then he has proved that  $\{x; a \leq x \leq b\}$  is complete by thus linear topology for every two element  $a \leq b$ .

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1 Cf. G. Birkhoff : *Lattice theory*, Amer. Math. Soc. Colloquium Publ. vol. 1, 25(1949)

2 Cf. H. Nakano : *Linear topologies on semi-ordered linear spaces*, J. Fac. Sci. Hokkaido Univ. vol XII, no. 3, (1953), pp. 87-104. This paper will be denoted by H. Nakano [4] in this paper.

In this paper, considering only the *continuous semi-ordered linear space*<sup>3</sup>  $\mathbf{R}$  we have introduced a linear topology on  $\mathbf{R}$  as described in the section 2. Furthermore, in the section 2 we have proved that the operation  $\cup$ ,  $\cap$  are continuous by such linear topology (Theorem 1.1).

In the section 3, we have shown the relations between the *order-topology*<sup>4</sup> and the linear topology that satisfies some conditions and that its linear topology is sequential complete<sup>5</sup> (Theorem 3.3).

In the section 4, we shall introduce a topology on the set of continuous linear functionals on  $\mathbf{R}$  and refer to *regularity* of  $\mathbf{R}$ .

The notations used in this paper follow those in H. Nakano [1], [2], [3]<sup>6</sup>.

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## 2. The definitions and remarks.

In this section we shall introduce a linear topology by the notion of *vicinitor*.

Let  $\mathbf{R}$  be a semi-ordered linear space.

A manifold  $V$  in  $\mathbf{R}$  is called a *vicinitor*, if it satisfies the following conditions :

- (i) for any  $x \in \mathbf{R}$ , there exists a positive number  $\alpha$  such that  $\xi x \in V$  for  $0 \leq \xi \leq \alpha$ .
- (ii) if  $x \in V$ ,  $|y| \leq |x|$  implies  $y \in V$ .

By definition we easily see that vicinitor has the following properties :

- (1) for every vicinitor  $V$ ,  $\alpha V$  is a vicinitor for every real number  $\alpha \neq 0$ .
- (2) for two vicinitors  $U$ ,  $V$ , their intersection is also a vicinitor.
- (3) every vicinitor  $V$  is symmetric ;  $(-1)V = V$ .
- (4) every vicinitor  $V$  is a star ;  $\xi V \subset V$  for  $0 \leq \xi \leq 1$ .

We can define a linear topology by a collection  $\mathfrak{B}$  of vicinitors  $V$  in  $\mathbf{R}$  satisfying the next conditions :

- (1')  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ ,  $V \subset U$  implies  $U \in \mathfrak{B}$ .
- (2')  $U, V \in \mathfrak{B}$  implies  $UV \in \mathfrak{B}$ .
- (3')  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$  implies  $\xi V \in \mathfrak{B}$  for every  $\xi \neq 0$ .
- (4') for any  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ , we can find  $U \in \mathfrak{B}$  such that  $V \subset U \times U = \{x+y; x, y \in U\}$ .

3  $\mathbf{R}$  is called a continuous semi-ordered linear space, if  $0 \leq a_\nu$  ( $\nu = 1, 2, \dots$ ) implies  $\bigcap_{\nu=1}^{\infty} a_\nu \in \mathbf{R}$ .

4 G. Birkhoff . loc. cit. p. 60 and H. Nakano : *Modullared semi-ordered linear spaces*. Tokyo. Math. Book Ser. I, Tokyo (1950). This book will be denoted by H. Nakano [1].

5 As to this terminology, cf. J. v. Neumann : *On complete topological spaces*, Trans. Amer. Math. Soc. 37 1-20. (1935)

6 H. Nakano [2] and [3] represent the following books : *Modern spectral theory*, Tokyo. Math. Book Ser. II, Tokyo (1950) and *Topology and linear topological spaces*, Tokyo Math Book Ser. III, Tokyo (1951).

As a basis of  $\mathfrak{B}$ , we can take a collection  $\mathfrak{B}$  of vicinitors in  $\mathbf{R}$  satisfying

(1'') for every  $U, V \in \mathfrak{B}$  we can find  $W \in \mathfrak{B}$  and  $\lambda > 0$  such that  $\lambda W \subset UV$ .

(2'') for any  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$  we can find  $U \in \mathfrak{B}$  and  $\lambda > 0$  such that  $\lambda U \times \lambda U \subset V$ .

we can uniquely introduce uniformity  $\mathfrak{U}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  in  $\mathbf{R}$  of which  $\mathfrak{B}$  is basis. The induced topology  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  by this uniformity  $\mathfrak{U}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  is called the *induced toporogy*<sup>7</sup>  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  by a linear toporogy  $\mathfrak{B}$ . In this paper, saying we merely a linear topology we mean the above linear topology.

$\mathfrak{B}$  is called *separative linear topology*, if  $\bigcap_{V \in \mathfrak{B}} V = \{0\}$ .

A mapping  $\alpha$  defined on  $\mathbf{R}$  is said to be continuous by  $\mathfrak{B}$ , if  $\alpha$  is continuous by  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

**THEOREM 1.1 :** *The operations ; addition, scalar multiplication,  $\smile, \frown$ , are continuous by  $\mathfrak{B}$  respectively.*

**Proof.** The continuities of the addition and of the scalar multiplication are obvious by the definition of a linear topology.

(i) **The continuity of the opration  $\frown$ .**

For any  $a, b \in \mathbf{R}$ ,  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ , there exists  $U \in \mathfrak{B}$  such that  $U \times U \times U \subset V$ .

Therefore, for any  $u_1, u_2 \in U$ , since

$$\begin{aligned} & (u_1 + a) \frown (u_2 + b) - a \frown b \\ &= (u_1 + a) \frown (u_2 + b) + (-a) \smile (-b) \\ &= \{u_1 + a + (-a) \smile (-b)\} \frown \{u_2 + b + (-a) \smile (-b)\} \\ &= \{u_1 + (a - b) \smile 0\} \frown \{u_2 + (b - a) \smile 0\} \\ &= \{u_1 + (a - b)^+\} \frown \{u_2 + (a - b)^-\} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} |u_1 + (a - b)^+| &\leq |u_1| + (a - b)^+ \\ |u_2 + (a - b)^-| &\leq |u_2| + (a - b)^-, \end{aligned}$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |\{u_1 + (a - b)^+\} \frown \{u_2 + (a - b)^-\}| \\ &\leq \{|u_1| + (a - b)^+\} \frown \{|u_2| + (a - b)^-\} \\ &\leq |u_1| \frown |u_2| + |u_1| \frown (a - b)^- + |u_2| \frown (a - b)^+ + (a - b)^+ \frown (a - b)^- \\ &\leq |u_1| \frown |u_2| + |u_1| + |u_2| \in V \end{aligned}$$

and consequently  $(U + a) \frown (U + b) \subset V + a \frown b$ .

(ii) **The contiuity of the operation  $\smile$ .**

On account of the formulation  $a \smile b = (a + b) - (a \frown b)$  we can easily demonstration it. Q. E. D.

Let  $V$  be a vicinitor.

Putting  $\|x\|_V = \inf_{x \in \xi V} |\xi|$  for  $x \in \mathbf{R}$ ,

we obtain a *pseudo-norm*<sup>8</sup> on  $\mathbf{R}$  satisfying next property :

7 Cf. H. Nakano [3], §54.

8 A functional  $\lambda(x)$  on  $\mathbf{R}$  is called a pseudo-norm on  $\mathbf{R}$ , if  $\lambda(x) \geq 0$  for every  $x \in \mathbf{R}$  and  $\lambda(\xi x) = |\xi| \lambda(x)$  for all real number  $\xi$ .

$\|x\| \leq \|y\|$  implies  $\|x\|_V \leq \|y\|_V$ .

Conversely, let  $\lambda(x)$  be a pseudo-norm on  $\mathbf{R}$  satisfying above property.

We see that

$$V = \{x; \lambda(x) \leq 1\}$$

is a vicinitor.

### 3. The relations between the linear topology and the order-topology.

On account of Theorem 1.1, we can prove easily the analogy to the properties valid in the normed semi-ordered linear space<sup>9</sup>.

When  $a_\nu$  is convergent to  $a$  by  $\mathfrak{B}$ , we may write  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} a_\nu = a$ .

**THEOREM 2.1**; Let  $\mathfrak{B}$  be a separative linear topology on  $\mathbf{R}$ .

$a_\nu \downarrow_{\nu=1}^{\infty}$ ,  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} a_\nu = a$  implies  $a_\nu \downarrow_{\nu=1}^{\infty} a$  and  $a_\nu \uparrow_{\nu=1}^{\infty}$ ,  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} a_\nu = a$  implies  $a_\nu \uparrow_{\nu=1}^{\infty} a$ .

**THEOREM 2.2**; If  $\mathbf{R}$  is a continuous semi-ordered linear space, then in order that  $0 \leq a_\nu \uparrow_{\nu=1}^{\infty} a$  implies  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} a_\nu = a$ , it is necessary and sufficient that any  $b \geq 0$ ,  $[p_\nu] \uparrow_{\nu=1}^{\infty} [p]$  implies  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} [p_\nu]b = [p]b$ .

Let  $\mathbf{R}$  be continuous semi-ordered linear space. We shall consider a linear topology  $\mathfrak{B}$  on  $\mathbf{R}$  of which basis consists only of vicinitors satisfying the following condition;

$$(\#) \quad a_\nu \in V (\nu=1, 2, \dots) \text{ implies } \bigcup_{\nu=1}^{\infty} a_\nu \in V.$$

In the sequel,  $\mathfrak{B}_\sigma$  and  $\mathfrak{B}_\sigma$  denote the above linear topology and its basis respectively.

**THEOREM 2.3**; When  $\mathfrak{B}_\sigma$  is separative, if  $a_\nu (\nu=1, 2, \dots)$  is convergent to  $a$  by  $\mathfrak{B}_\sigma$ , then  $a_\nu \in \mathbf{R} (\nu=1, 2, \dots)$  is order-convergent to  $a$ .

**Proof.**  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} a_\nu = a$ , for any  $V \in \mathfrak{B}_\sigma$  we can find  $n_0$  such that  $a_\nu - a \in V$  for all  $\nu \geq n_0$ . Now, setting  $\bigcup_{u=k}^{\infty} (a_u - a) = \varepsilon_k (k=1, 2, \dots)$  we see that  $V \ni \varepsilon_k \downarrow_{k=1}^{\infty}$  and  $|a_\nu - a| \leq \varepsilon_\nu (\nu=1, 2, \dots)$ . Furthermore, by theorem 2.1, since  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} \varepsilon_\nu = 0$

we have  $\varepsilon_k \downarrow_{k=1}^{\infty} 0$ . Q. E. D.

**THEOREM 2.4**; if  $a_\nu \in \mathbf{R} (\nu=1, 2, \dots)$  is uniformly order-convergent<sup>10</sup> to  $a$ , then  $a_\nu \in \mathbf{R} (\nu=1, 2, \dots)$  is convergent to  $a$  by  $\mathfrak{B}$ .

<sup>9</sup> Cf. H. Nakano [1], Theorem 30.1 and 30.5, 126—127.

<sup>10</sup> Cf. H. Nakano [1], §2.

**Proof.** If  $a_\nu \in \mathbf{R}$  ( $\nu=1,2,\dots$ ) is uniformly order-convergent to  $a$ , there exists  $l \in \mathbf{R}, \varepsilon_\nu \downarrow_{\nu=1}^{\infty} 0$  such that  $|a_\nu - a| \leq \varepsilon_\nu l$  ( $\nu=1,2,\dots$ ).

For any  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ , by the definition of vicinitor we can find  $\mu$  such that  $\frac{1}{\mu}l \in V$  and further we can find  $n_0$  such that  $|a_\nu - a| \leq \varepsilon_{n_0} l \leq \frac{1}{\mu}l$  for all  $\nu \geq n_0$ .

Therefore  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} a_\nu = a$ . Q. E. D.

**THEOREM 2.5 ;** A continuous semi-ordered linear space is sequential complete by  $\mathfrak{B}_\sigma$ , if  $\mathfrak{B}_\sigma$  is separative.

**Proof.** Let sequence  $a_\nu \in \mathbf{R}$  ( $\nu=1,2,\dots$ ) be a Cauchy sequence by  $\mathfrak{B}_\sigma$ . For any  $U \in \mathfrak{B}_\sigma$ , there exists  $V \in \mathfrak{B}_\sigma, \lambda > 0$  such that  $\lambda V \times \lambda V \subset U$ . By assumption we can find  $n_0$  such that  $a_\nu - a_\mu \in \lambda V$  for all  $\mu, \nu \geq n_0$ . Setting  $n_k = n_0 + k$ , we see first that a subsequence  $a_{n_k}$  ( $k=1,2,\dots$ ) is a Cauchy sequence by the order-topology, because, setting  $\bigcup_{\nu, \mu \geq n_k} (|a_\nu - a_\mu|) = \varepsilon_k \in \lambda V$ , we have  $\text{T-lim}_{k \rightarrow \infty} \varepsilon_k = 0$  and hence

by theorem 2.1, we have  $\varepsilon_k \downarrow_{k=1}^{\infty} 0$  and  $|a_{n_k} - a_{n_j}| \leq \varepsilon_k$  for all  $j \geq k$ . Therefore there

exists  $a$  such that  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty}^{11} a_{n_k} = a$ , then we have  $a = \bigcup_{\nu=1}^{\infty} (\bigcap_{i \geq \nu} a_{n_i})$  and hence

$$|a_{n_k} - a| \leq \bigcup_{\nu=1}^{\infty} (\bigcap_{i \geq \nu} (a_{n_k} - a_{n_i})) \leq \bigcup_{\nu=1}^{\infty} (\bigcap_{j=\nu} |a_{n_k} - a_{n_j}|) \leq \varepsilon_1.$$

Accordingly, we have  $a_{n_k} - a \in \lambda V$  for all  $k=1,2,\dots$ , namely,  $\text{T-lim}_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} a_{n_\nu} = a$

Therefor, we may conclude that  $a_\mu - a = (a_\mu - a_{n_k}) + (a_{n_k} - a) \in \lambda V \times \lambda V \subset U$  for all  $\mu \geq n_1$ . The proof is completed.

#### 4. Adjoint space.

A manifold  $A$  of  $\mathbf{R}$  is said to be *topologically bounded* by  $\mathfrak{B}$ , if for any  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ , there exists  $\lambda > 0$  such that  $A \subset \lambda V$ .

A linear functional  $\varphi$  on  $\mathbf{R}$  is said to be *topologically bounded* if  $\sup_{x \in A} |\varphi(x)| < +\infty$  for every topologically bounded manifold  $A$ .

The totality of the topologically bounded linear functionals on  $\mathbf{R}$  is called the *associated space* of  $\mathbf{R}$  by  $\mathfrak{B}$  and we may write  $\tilde{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

We shall be able to consider as semi-ordered linear space by the next semi-order  $\geq$ ;

for  $\tilde{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}} \in L, F, L \geq F$  means  $L(x) \geq F(x)$  for all  $x \geq 0$ .

Because, for any  $\tilde{a} \in \tilde{\mathbf{R}}$ , setting

11  $\lim_{\nu} a_\nu = a$  means that  $a_\nu$  is order-convergent to  $a$ . "The order-topology is sequential complete", As to this theorem, cf, H. Nakano [2], Theorem 6.4.

$$P(a) = \sup_{0 \leq x \leq a} \tilde{a}(x) \text{ for any } a \geq 0,$$

obviously  $P(\alpha a) = \alpha P(a)$  for any  $\alpha \geq 0$ ,  $a \geq 0$ .

Furthermore, for any  $a, b \geq 0$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} P(a+b) &= \sup_{x \leq a+b} \tilde{a}(x) \geq \sup_{0 \leq y \leq b} \tilde{a}(x+y) \\ &= \sup_{0 \leq x \leq a} \tilde{a}(x) + \sup_{0 \leq y \leq b} \tilde{a}(y) = P(a) + P(b). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, if  $0 \leq z \leq a+b$ , then putting  $x = a \wedge z$ ,  $y = z - x$  we obtain  $0 \leq x \leq a$ ,  $z = x + y$  and  $0 \leq y \leq b$  and consequently  $P(a+b) = P(a) + P(b)$ . Therefore, for any  $x \in \mathbf{R}$ , setting  $L(x) = P(x^+) - P(x^-)$ , we obtain a topologically bounded linear functional  $L$  on  $\mathbf{R}$ . (for any  $a \geq 0$ ,  $\forall \varepsilon \in \mathfrak{B}$ , there exists a  $\lambda > 0$  such that  $\lambda V \supset \{x; 0 \leq x \leq a\}$ ) Furthermore, it is obvious that other postulates<sup>12</sup> on the semi-order are satisfied.

A linear functional  $\varphi$  on  $\mathbf{R}$  is said to be *topologically continuous* by  $\mathfrak{B}$ , if we can find  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ ,  $\alpha > 0$  such that

$$|\varphi(x)| \leq \alpha \|x\|_V \quad \text{for every } x \in \mathbf{R}.$$

The totality of the topologically continuous linear functionals on  $\mathbf{R}$  is called the adjoint space of  $\mathbf{R}$  by  $\mathfrak{B}$ .

By the definition the adjoint space is obviously a semi-ordered linear space and we shall write  $\overline{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

Setting  $\bar{V} = \{\bar{x}; |\bar{x}(x)| \leq 1 \text{ for } x \in \mathbf{R}\}$ ,  $\bar{V}$  satisfies the condition (ii) in § 2.

Let  $\mathfrak{D}$  be a collection satisfying the condition that there exists a vicinitor  $W$  in  $\mathfrak{D}$  such that  $W \supset V + U$  for any  $V, U \in \mathfrak{D}$  and  $\xi V \in \mathfrak{D}$  for  $V \in \mathfrak{D}$ ,  $\xi \neq 0$ .

Furthermore,  $(V/r) = \{\bar{x}; \sup_{x \in V} |\bar{x}(x)| < r\}$  ( $V \in \mathfrak{D}$ ) defines a convex topology on  $\overline{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  and we may write  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  this topology.

**LEMMA ;** The linear topology  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  on  $\overline{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  is convex and separative.

**proof.** It is obvious that  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  is convex by the definition. For  $0 \neq \bar{a} \in \overline{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ , we can find  $a \in \mathbf{R}$  such that  $\bar{a}(a) > 1$ . Therefore, for any  $V$  such that  $a \in V \in \mathfrak{B}$ ,  $\bar{a} \notin \bar{V} = \{\bar{x}; \sup_{x \in V} |\bar{x}(x)| < 1\}$  namely,  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  is separative. Q. E. D.

Let  $\overline{\overline{\mathbf{R}}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  be the totality of the continuous linear functionals on  $\overline{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  by  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

<sup>12</sup> This postulates are furnished in H. Nakano [1], § 1

Any of the elements  $x \in \mathbf{R}$  is considered as a topologically continuous linear functional on  $\bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  by the relation ;

$$(\times) \quad x(\bar{x}) = \bar{x}(x) \quad \text{for every } \bar{x} \in \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}},$$

$\mathbf{R}$  is said to be *regular*, if it satisfies the following conditions ;

(i) the correspondence  $(\times)$  from  $\mathbf{R}$  to  $\bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  is a isomorphism, that is,

(1) for any  $\bar{a} \in \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ , there exists  $a \in \mathbf{R}$  satisfying  $(\times)$  and  $\bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  is the semi-ordered linear space.

(2)  $\bar{a} \geq 0$  if and only if  $a \geq 0$ .

(ii)  $\mathfrak{B}$  is a reflexive linear topology<sup>13</sup>, that is, for any  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ , if for  $\bar{V} = \{\bar{x} ; \sup_{\|x\|_V \leq 1} |\bar{x}(x)| \leq 1\}$ , we have  $\|x\|_V = \sup_{|x| \in V} |\bar{x}(x)|$  for every  $x \in \mathbf{R}$ .

**Remark.** If  $\bar{a} \in \bar{V}$ , since  $|\bar{a}(a)| = \sup_{|x| \leq a} \bar{a}(x)$  for  $a \geq 0$ , then for any  $y \in V$  we have

$$|\bar{a}(y)| \leq 1 \text{ further}$$

$$|\bar{a}(y)| \geq |\bar{a}(y)| \geq |\bar{a}(-y)| = -|\bar{a}(y)|$$

namely,  $|\bar{a}(y)| \leq |\bar{a}(y)| \leq 1$  and hence  $|\bar{a}| \in \bar{V}$  and consequently  $\bar{V} = \{\bar{x} ; \|\bar{x}\| \leq 1\}$  for  $x \in V$ .

A linear topology  $\mathfrak{B}$  on  $\mathbf{R}$  such that the system  $\bar{V}_a = \{\bar{x} ; |\bar{x}(x)| \leq 1\} (\bar{a} \in \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}})$  is a basis of  $\mathfrak{B}$  is called the *absolute weak topology* of  $\mathbf{R}$  by  $\bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

**THEOREM 3.1<sup>14</sup>** : A manifold  $A$  of  $\mathbf{R}$  is topologically bounded by the absolute weak topology  $\mathbf{R}$  by  $\bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  if and only if  $\sup_{x \in A} |\bar{x}(x)| < +\infty$  for every  $\bar{x} \in \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

For every manifold  $A$ ,  $A^-$  denotes the closure of  $A$  by the induced topology  $\mathfrak{T}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{F}$  be a linear subspace of the set of all linear functionals on a linear space  $\mathbf{R}$ . For any finite subset  $f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n$  of  $\mathfrak{F}$ ,  $x_0 \in \mathbf{R}$  and real positive number  $r > 0$ ,  $\{x ; |f_i(x) - f_i(x_0)| < r, i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$  is regarded as neighborhoods of  $x_0$  in  $\mathbf{R}$ . This topology is obviously a linear topology on  $\mathbf{R}$  and we may say the weak topology of  $\mathbf{R}$  by  $\mathfrak{F}$ .

A manifold  $K$  of  $\mathbf{R}$  will be said to be *weakly bounded, weakly closed, weakly compact*, if  $K$  is so respectively by the weak topology of  $\mathbf{R}$ .

In theorem 4 of § 65 in H. Nakano [3], modifying we its proof, we have

**THEOREM 3.2** : For every vicinitor  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ ,

$\bar{V} = \{\bar{x} ; \|\bar{x}\| \leq 1 \text{ for } x \in V\}$  is absolutely weakly compact by  $\bar{\mathbf{R}}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

Let  $\mathbf{D}_X$  be a family of subsets of  $\mathbf{R}$  such that there exists a subsets  $K_+$  in  $\mathbf{D}_X$  satisfying the condition  $K_+ \supset K_1 + K_2$  for any  $K_1, K_2 \in \mathbf{D}_X$ . (where notation  $+$

13 Cf. H. Nakano [4], 103—104.

14 Cf. H. Nakano [4], Theorem 8.2



means union of sets)

Denoting we  $\{\bar{x}; \sup_{x \in K} |\bar{x}(x)| < r\}$  by  $(K/r)$  for  $r > 0$ ,  $D_x \ni K, \{(K/r) : K \in D_x, r > 0\}$

defines a convex linear topology on  $\bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  and this topology will be called the  $D_x$ -topology.

We may say  $p$ -topology and  $\kappa$ -topology if  $D_x$  is the class of all finite sets of  $R$  and the class of convex weakly compact subsets of  $R$  by  $\bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  respectively.

**THEOREM 3.3 :** *In order that  $R$  is regular, it is necessary and sufficient that  $\mathfrak{B}$  is convex, separative and every  $V^-$  ( $V \in \mathfrak{D}$ ) is weakly compact by  $\bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$*

**Proof.**

**Necessity.** If  $R$  is regular, then for any  $V \in \mathfrak{D}$ , since  $V^- = \{x; \|x\|_{V^-} \leq 1\}$ <sup>15</sup> and

$$\|x\|_{V^-} = \sup_{x \in V} |\bar{x}(x)| \text{ for } \bar{V} = \{\bar{x}; \sup_{\|x\|_{V^-} \leq 1} |\bar{x}(x)| \leq 1\} = \{\bar{x}; |\bar{x}(x)| \leq 1 \text{ for every } x \in V^-\},$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} (\bar{V})^- &= \{\bar{x}; |\bar{x}(\bar{x})| \leq 1 \text{ for every } \bar{x} \in \bar{V}\} \\ &= \{x; |\bar{x}(x)| \leq 1 \text{ for every } \bar{x} \in \bar{V}\} \\ &= \{x; \sup_{\|x\|_{V^-} \leq 1} |\bar{x}(x)| \leq 1\} = V^- \end{aligned}$$

and hence  $V^-$  is weakly compact<sup>16</sup> by  $\bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ . Further  $\mathfrak{B}$  is convex, separative by Lemma.

**Sufficiency.** Let  $R$  be to satisfy the conditions of the theorem.

At first, we shall show that for any  $\bar{x} \in \bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ , there exists  $x_0 \in R$  such that  $\bar{x}_0(\bar{x}) = \bar{x}(x_0)$  for every  $\bar{x} \in \bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ . For any  $\bar{V} \in \mathfrak{B}$ , there exists  $V \in \mathfrak{D}$  such that  $\bar{V} \supset \{\bar{x}; \sup_{x \in V^-} |\bar{x}(x)| < 1\}$ , namely,  $\mathfrak{B}$  is weaker than  $\kappa$ -topology. It is obvious that  $\mathfrak{B}$  is stronger than  $p$ -topology. Therefore, by theorem 2 in R. Arens's paper<sup>17</sup>, the elements of  $R$  represent precisely the continuous linear functionals of  $\bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ . Furthermore, for any  $V \in \mathfrak{B}$ ,  $a \in R$ , by Banach's extension theorem<sup>18</sup>, there exists a linear functional  $\varphi$  on  $R$  such that

$$\varphi(a) = \|a\|_V, \quad |\varphi(x)| \leq \|x\|_V \quad \text{for every } x \in R.$$

This  $\varphi$  is obviously topologically continuous and hence  $\varphi \in \bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  and that  $\varphi \in \bar{A}$  for  $\bar{A} = \{\bar{x}; \sup_{\|x\|_V \leq 1} |\bar{x}(x)| \leq 1\}$ . Accordingly,  $\sup_{x \in V} |\bar{x}(a)| \geq \varphi(a) = \|a\|_V$ .

Opposite inequality is evident. Thus we conclude

$$\|a\|_V = \sup_{x \in \bar{A}} |\bar{x}(a)| \quad \text{for every } a \in R.$$

It is obvious that  $R \ni a \geq 0$  implies  $0 \leq \bar{a} \in \bar{R}$  and  $a \neq 0$  implies  $\bar{a} \neq 0$  ( $\bar{a}$  is element

15 This equality is obtained easily by theorem 3 of §49 and theorem 2 of §54 in H. Nakano (3)

16 This conclusion depends on theorem 4 of §65 in H. Nakano (3).

17 Cf. R. Arens : *Duality in linear spaces*, Duke Math. J. 14, 787—794 (1947)

18 Cf. S. Banach : *Théorie des opérations linéaires*, Warsaw, Theorem 1, 27—28 (1932).

of  $\bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  corresponding to  $a$  by (\*). Further, if  $a \neq 0$ , there exists  $\bar{a} \in \bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$  such that  $\bar{a}(a^-) > 0$ ; hence  $|\bar{a}(a^-)| > 0$ . We have then  $|\bar{a}(a^-)(a^-)| > 0$  and  $|\bar{a}(a)(a^+)| = 0$ . Since  $|\bar{a}(a)|^{19}$  is topologically continuous positive functional, we have that  $\bar{R} \ni \bar{a} > 0$  implies  $R \ni a > 0$ .

Remark. By theorem 3.2 we see that if  $R$  is regular,  $V^- (V \in \mathfrak{D})$  is absolutely weakly compact  $\bar{R}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

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19 If  $R$  is continuous, then all elements are normalable and consequently we can consider the projection  $[a^-]$ .

Cf. H. Nakano [1], Th. 6.14 and Th. 5.5., 19—28.